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Vincent P. Meconi Secretary Delaware Health and Social Services 1901 DuPont Highway New Castle, DE 19720

Re: Delaware's Home and Community-Based Services Waiver for the Elderly & Physically Disabled (HCFA Control # 0136.90.R2.01)

Dear Mr. Meconi:

I am pleased to inform you that your request dated April 6, 2001, to amend your Home and Community-Based Services Waiver for the Elderly & Physically Disabled has been approved. The amendment to your waiver, authorized under the provisions of § 1915(c) of the Social Security Act, will enable the State of Delaware to provide home and community-based services to additional individuals in Waiver Years 2 through 5. This waiver amendment now will carry HCFA control number 0136.90.R2.01. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence regarding this waiver amendment.

Based on the information you provided, I approve the waiver amendment request cited above, effective January 1, 2001, the date you requested. This approval is subject to your agreement to provide home and community-based services, on an annual basis, to no more individuals than those indicated as the value of "C" in your approved cost and utilization estimates (shown below). In these revised estimates, "C" represents the unduplicated number of individuals served under the wavier during each waiver year. The estimated average per capita costs of waiver services during each waiver year, remain as originally approved.

	Waiver Year	"C" Value	
Year 2	July 1, 2000 - June 30, 2001	983	
Year 3	July 1, 2001 - June 30, 2002	1,018	
Year 4	July 1, 2002 - June 30, 2003	1,103	
Year 5	July 1, 2003 - June 30, 2004	1,141	

Please contact Ronna Bach of the Philadelphia Regional Office at (215) 861-4223 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Nancy B. O'Connor Acting Regional Administrator cc: Philip Soulé Cheryl Aversa

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